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Information required by Annex 1A

The following communication, dated 28 November 2006, from the delegation of the People's Republic of China is being circulated to the Members of the Council for Trade in Services.

COUNCIL FOR TRADE IN SERVICES: TRANSITIONAL REVIEW UNDER ARTICLE 18 OF THE PROTOCOL OF ACCESSION

OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

Information Required in Annex 1A

- (a) **regularly updated lists of all laws, regulations, administrative guidelines and other measures affecting trade in each service sector or sub-sector indicating, in each case, the service sector(s) or sub-sector(s) they apply to, the date of publication and the date of entry into force**

	Services sector or sub-sector	Name of Relevant Laws, Regulations and/or Administrative Measures and Date of Publication or Entering into force
	I. HORIZONTAL COMMITMENTS	
1	All sectors included in the Schedule of Specific Commitments on Services of China	Law of the People's Republic of China on Sino-Foreign Equity Joint Venture 2001/3/15 Regulations for the Implementation of the Law of the People's Republic of China on Sino-Foreign Equity Joint Venture 2001/7/22 Law of the People's Republic of China on Sino-Foreign Contractual Joint Venture 2000/10/31 Regulations for the Implementation of the Law of the People's Republic of China on Sino-Foreign Contractual Joint Venture 1995/9/4 Law of the People's Republic of China on Foreign Capital Enterprise 2000/10/31 Regulations for the Implementation of the Law of the People's Republic of China on Foreign Capital Enterprise 2001/4/12 Catalogue for the Guidance of Foreign Investment Industries 2004/11/30 Foreign Trade Law 2004/07/01 Administrative Permission Law of the People's Republic of China 2003/8/27 2004/7/1 Company Law of the People's Republic of China 2005/10/27 2006/1/1

	Services sector or sub-sector	Name of Relevant Laws, Regulations and/or Administrative Measures and Date of Publication or Entering into force
II. SPECIFIC COMMITMENTS		
2	1. BUSINESS SERVICES A. Professional Services a. Legal Services (CPC861 excluding Chinese law practices)	Regulations on Administration of Foreign Law Firms' Representative Offices in China 2002/01/01 Measures for Administration of Law Firms' Representative Offices of Hong Kong SAR and Macao SAR 2002/3/13 Rules on the Implementation of Regulations on Administration of Foreign Law Firms' Representative Offices in China 2002/7/31
3	b. Accounting, auditing and bookkeeping services (CPC 862) c. Taxation services (CPC 8630)	Tentative Procedures for the Administration of Sino-foreign Cooperative Accounting Firm 1996/3/28 Provisional Rules on Administration of Representative Offices of Foreign Accounting Firm 1996/1/4 Provisional Rules on the Registration and Supervision of CPA Firms 2005/1/18 Rules on the Registration of CPAs 2005/1/22 The Regulatory Rules on the Qualifications for Accounting Professionals 2005/1/22 The Regulatory Rules on the Bookkeeping Service 2005/1/22 Accounting Standards for Business Enterprises: Basic Standards 2006/2/15
4	d. Architectural services (CPC 8671) e. Engineering services (CPC 8672) f. Integrated engineering services (CPC 8673) g. Urban planning services (CPC 8674)	Rules Governing the Foreign Invested Engineering Design Enterprises 2002/09/27 Rules governing the Foreign Invested Urban Planning Service Enterprises 2003/05/01
5	h. Medical and dental services (CPC 9312)	Interim Measures for Administration of Sino-Foreign Joint Venture and Cooperative Medical Institutions 2000/5/15 Interim Measures on Administration of Foreign Physicians' Short-Term Practising in China 1992/10/7
6	B. Computer and Related Services	Circular on Pre-installation of Legal-copy Operating Systems on Computers 2006/3/30 2006/3/30

	Services sector or sub-sector	Name of Relevant Laws, Regulations and/or Administrative Measures and Date of Publication or Entering into force
7	D. Real Estate Services	Regulation on Property Management 2003/6/8 Administrative Measures for the Qualification of Property Management enterprises 2004/3/17 Administrative Measures for Real Estate Evaluation Enterprises 2005/10/12
8	F. Other Business Services a. Advertising Services (CPC 871)	Regulations on Administration of Foreign-funded Advertising Enterprises 2004/3/2
9	c. Management Consulting services (CPC 865)	Laws, regulations and administrative measures listed in the Horizontal Commitment part are followed
10	e. Technical testing and analysis services (CPC 8676) and freight inspection covered by CPC 749, excluding statutory inspection services for freight inspection services	Rules of Administration on the Import and Export Commodity Inspection and Accreditation Institutions 2004/01/01 Administrative Measures for Certification of Consultation Bodies 2005/9/29 2005/11/1 Administrative Measures for Certification of Training Bodies 2005/9/29 2005/11/1
11	f. Services incidental to agriculture, forestry, hunting and fishing (CPC 881 and 882)	Pasture Law of the People's Republic of China 2005/12/29 2006/7/1
12	m. Related scientific technical consulting services (CPC 8675) - Onshore oil-field services	Regulations on Exploitation of On-shore Petroleum Resources in Cooperation with Foreign Enterprises 2001/9/23
13	- Offshore oil-field services, Geological, geophysical and other scientific prospecting services (CPC 86751) Sub-surface surveying service (CPC 86752)	Regulations on Exploitation of Offshore Petroleum Resources in Cooperation with Foreign Enterprises 2001/9/23
14	p. Photographic services CPC 875	Laws, regulations and administrative measures listed in the Horizontal Commitment part are followed
15	q. Packaging services CPC 876	Laws, regulations and administrative measures listed in the Horizontal Commitment part are followed
16	s. Convention services CPC 87909	Interim Rules on the Establishment of the Conference and Exhibition Companies with Foreign Investment 2004/01/13

	Services sector or sub-sector	Name of Relevant Laws, Regulations and/or Administrative Measures and Date of Publication or Entering into force
17	t. Translation and interpretation services (CPC 87905)	Laws, regulations and administrative measures listed in the Horizontal Commitment part are followed
18	- Maintenance and repair services (CPC 63, 6112 and 6122) - Maintenance and repair services of office machinery and equipment including computers (CPC 845 and 886)	Provisions on Administration of Motor Vehicle Repairing 2005/06/24 2005/08/01
19	- Rental and leasing services (CPC 831, 832 excluding CPC 83202)	Administrative Measures on Foreign Investment in Lease Industry 2005/02/03
20	2. COMMUNICATION SERVICES B. Courier Services (CPC 75121, except for those currently specifically reserved to Chinese postal authorities by law)	Postal Law of the People's Republic of China 1986/12/2 Rules for the Implementation of the Postal Law of The People's Republic of China 1990/11/12 Rules on Administration of International Freight Forwarding Agency Enterprises with Foreign Investment 2001/12/19 Notice on the Entrustment Management of Postal and Delivery Services for Cross-border Letters and Materials of Letters in Nature 2001/12/20 Supplementary Notice on the Engagement in Postal and Delivery Services for Cross-border Letters and Materials of Letters in Nature 2002/9/5
21	C. Telecommunication Services	Regulations on Administration of Foreign Invested Telecommunications Enterprises 2001/12/11 Administrative Measures on Internet E-mail Services 2006/2/20 2006/3/20
22	D. Audiovisual Services - Video, including entertainment software and (CPC 83202), distribution services - Sound recording distribution services	Measures for Administration of Sino-Foreign Contractual Distribution Ventures of Audio-Visual Products 2003/12/08 Regulations on Administration of Foreign-Chinese Movie Shooting 2004/7/6 2004/8/10 Interim Provision on Administration of Chinese-Foreign Equity or Contractual joint Ventures of Broadcast and TV Program Producing 2004/10/28

	Services sector or sub-sector	Name of Relevant Laws, Regulations and/or Administrative Measures and Date of Publication or Entering into force
		Interim Provisions on Operational Qualification Access for Film Enterprises 2004/10/10 2004/11/10 Supplementary Provisions for the Interim Provisions on Operational Qualification Access for Film Enterprises 2005/3/7 2005/5/8
23	- Cinema Theatre Services	Interim Provisions on Foreign Investment in Cinemas 2003/11/25 2004/1/1 Supplementary Provisions for the Interim Provisions on Foreign Investment in Cinemas 2005/4/8 2005/5/8 Supplementary Provisions for the Interim Provisions on Foreign Investment in Cinemas 2006/1/18 2006/2/20
24	3. CONSTRUCTION AND RELATED ENGINEERING SERVICES (CPC 511, 512, 513 ¹ , 514, 515, 516, 517, 518 ²)	Implementing Rules on the Qualification Management Contained in the Regulations on the Establishment of Foreign-Invested Construction Enterprises by the Ministry of Construction 2003/04/08 Port Law of the People's Republic of China 2003/06/28 2004/01/01 Provisions on Administration of Road Construction Market 2004/11/22 2005/03/01;
25	4. DISTRIBUTION SERVICES A. Commission Agents' Services (excluding salt, tobacco) B. Wholesale Trade Services (excluding salt, tobacco) C. Retailing Services (excluding tobacco)	Rules on the Administration of Foreign Invested Enterprises for Book, Newspaper and Journal Distribution 2002/12/17 Rules on Administration of Foodstuff Circulation 2004/5/26 Measures on Administration of Foreign-funded Commercial Sectors 2004/6/1 Interim Measures on the Administration of Processed Oil Market 2004/12/02 Implementing Measures on the Administration of Automobile Brand Sale 2005/02/21 Regulations on Administration of Direct Sales 2005/8/23 2005/12/1 Regulations on Prohibition of Chuanxiao 2005/8/23 2005/12/1

¹ Including dredging services relating to infrastructure construction.

² Coverage of CPC 518 is limited only to the rental and leasing services of construction and/or demolition machines with operator which are owned and used by foreign construction enterprises in their supply of services.

	Services sector or sub-sector	Name of Relevant Laws, Regulations and/or Administrative Measures and Date of Publication or Entering into force
26	5. EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	Regulations on Sino-Foreign Cooperative Educational Institutions 2003/3/1 2003/09/01 Implementing Measures on Foreign-China Cooperation on School Running in People's Republic of China 2004/6/2 2004/7/1 Law of the People's Republic of China on Promotion of Privately-run Schools 2002/12/28 2003/9/1 Implementing Rules on Law of the People's Republic of China on Promotion of Privately-run Schools 2004/3/5 2004/4/1
27	6. ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES	Laws, regulations and administrative measures listed in the Horizontal Commitment part are followed
28	7. FINANCIAL SERVICES A. Insurance services	Insurance Law of the People's Republic of China 2002/10/28 2002/10/28 Regulations of People's Republic of China on Administration of Foreign-Funded Insurance Companies 2001/12/12 Detailed Rules for Implementation of Regulations of the People's Republic of China on Administration of Foreign-funded Insurance Companies 2004/6/15 Rules on Administration of Representative Offices of Foreign Insurance Institutions 2004/3/1 Rules on Administration of Reinsurance Business 2005/10/14 Rules on Administration of Representative Offices of Foreign Insurance Institutions 2006/7/12
29	B. Banking Services	Law of the People's Republic of China on Commercial Banks 2003/12/27 2003/12/27 Law of the People's Republic of China on Regulation of and Supervision over the Banking Industry 2003/12/27 2004/2/1 Regulations on Administration of Foreign-Funded Financial Institutions 2001/12/20 Measures for Administration of Representative Offices of Foreign-Capital Financial Institutions in China 2002/6/13 Decisions by the China Banking Supervision and Administration Commission on the Adjustments to the Administrative Modes and Procedures of Banking Market Access 2003/05/29

	Services sector or sub-sector	Name of Relevant Laws, Regulations and/or Administrative Measures and Date of Publication or Entering into force
		<p>Measures on Administration of Foreign Banking Institutions' Investing in Chinese-funded Financial Institutions 2003/12/8 2003/12/31</p> <p>Administrative Measures on Supervision of Consolidated Financial Statements of Foreign-invested Banks 2004/3/8 2004/4/1</p> <p>Detailed Rules for Implementation of Rules of the People's Republic of China on Administration of Foreign-funded Financial Institutions 2004/7/26 2004/9/1</p> <p>Administrative Rules Governing Foreign Debts of Foreign Banks in China 2004/5/27</p> <p>Administrative Rules for the Financial License 2003/7/1</p> <p>Provisional Rules on the Pricing of Services by Commercial Banks 2003/10/1</p> <p>Provisional Administrative Rules Governing Derivatives Activities of Financial Institutions 2004/3/1</p> <p>Regulations Governing Capital Adequacy of Commercial Banks 2004/3/1</p> <p>Provisional Rules on the Monitoring and Assessment of NPLs at Commercial Banks 2004/3/25</p> <p>Administrative Rules on Commercial Banks' Connected Transactions with Insiders and Shareholders 2004/5/1</p> <p>Administrative Rules on the Issuance of Subordinated Debts by Commercial Banks 2004/6/17</p> <p>Guidelines on Commercial Banks' Due Diligence in Credit Business 2004/7/21</p> <p>Administrative Rules Governing Finance Companies of Enterprise Groups 2004/9/1</p> <p>Provisional Rules Governing the Money Brokers 2005/9/1</p> <p>Provisional Rules Governing Private Banking Services by Commercial Banks 2005/11/1</p> <p>Administrative Rules Governing Securitization of Credit Assets by Financial Institutions 2005/12/1</p> <p>Rules on Implementation of Administrative Licensing Items for Foreign-funded Financial Institutions 2006/2/1</p>

	Services sector or sub-sector	Name of Relevant Laws, Regulations and/or Administrative Measures and Date of Publication or Entering into force
		Administrative Rules for Electronic Banking Services 2006/3/1 Provisional Rules for Commercial Banks to Provide Overseas Wealth Management Services for Clients 2006/4/17 Regulations of the People's Republic of China on Administration of foreign-funded Banks 2006/11/11
30	- Motor vehicle financing by non-bank financial institutions	Methods on the Administration of Auto Financing Companies 2003/10/3 Implementing Rules on the Administration of Auto Financing Companies 2003/11/12 Administrative Rules for Automotive Loans 2004/10/1
31	- Securities	Rules for Establishing Foreign-Invested Securities Companies 2002/7/1 Provisional Rules for Foreign Securities Institutions to Apply for B-share Trading Seats at Shanghai Stock Exchange 2002/06/19 Rules on Foreign Institutions' B-share Trading Seats at Shenzhen Stock Exchange 2002/06/19 Provisional Rules on Special Foreign Membership of Shanghai Stock Exchange 2002/07/24 Rules on Special Foreign Membership of Shenzhen Stock Exchange 2002/07/24 Rules on Administration of Securities Investment Fund Management Corporations 2004/10/01 Law of the People's Republic of China on Funds for Investment in Securities 2003/10/28 2004/6/1 Law of the People's Republic of China on Securities 2005/10/27 2006/1/1
32	9. TOURISM AND TRAVEL RELATED SERVICES A. Hotels	Laws, regulations and administrative measures listed in the Horizontal Commitment part are followed
33	B. Travel Agency and Tour Operator (CPC 7471)	Regulations on Administration of Travel Agencies 2001/12/11

	Services sector or sub-sector	Name of Relevant Laws, Regulations and/or Administrative Measures and Date of Publication or Entering into force
		Provisional Rules on the Establishment of Travel Agencies with Majority Foreign Equity and Solely Foreign Investment 2003/06/12 Amendment to the “Interim Provision on the Establishment of Foreign Holding and Solely foreign-Funded Travel Agencies” 2005/02/17 Supplementary Provisions for the Interim Provision on the Establishment of Foreign Holding and Solely foreign-Funded Travel Agencies 2005/12/29
34	11. TRANSPORT SERVICES A. Maritime Transport Services - International transport (CPC 7211 and 7212 less cabotage transport services) H. Auxiliary Services a. Maritime cargo-handling services (CPC 741) d. Container station and depot services e. Maritime agency services B. Internal Waterways Transport b. Freight transport (CPC 7222)	Regulations on International Maritime Transportation 2001/12/11 2002/01/01 Implementing Rules for the Regulations on International Maritime Transportation 2003/01/20 2003/03/01 Provisional Rules on the Approval and Administration of Vessel Companies with Solely Foreign Investment 2000/01/28 Rules on the Administration of Foreign Investment in the International Maritime Transportation Industry 2004/02/25 2004/06/01 Provisions on Administration of Port Management 2003/12/26 2004/06/01
35	C. Air Transport Services d. Aircraft repair and maintenance services (CPC 8868)	Rules on the Foreign Investment to the Civil Aviation Industry 2002/06/21 2002/8/1 Management Rules of Civil Aircraft Maintenance Personnel License 2005/9/27 2005/12/31 Civil Aircraft Maintenance Organization Certification Regulations 2005/9/27 2005/12/31
36	- Computer Reservation System services	Provisional Administrative Measures on the Usage of Computer (Passenger) Reservation System by Chinese Air Transport Enterprises and their Sales Agents within the Territory of China 1995/3/20
37	E. Rail Transport Services - Freight transportation by rail (CPC 7112)	Interim Measures on Examination, Approval and Administration of Railway Freight Transport Industry Invested by Foreigners 2000/8/29

	Services sector or sub-sector	Name of Relevant Laws, Regulations and/or Administrative Measures and Date of Publication or Entering into force
38	F. Road Transport Services - Freight transportation by road in trucks or cars (CPC 7123)	Provisions on Administration of Foreign Investment in Road Transport Sector 2001/11/20 Supplementary Provision of “Provisions on Administration of Foreign Investment in Road Transport Sector” 2003/12/31 2004/01/01 Supplementary Provision II of “Provisions on Administration of Foreign Investment in Road Transport Sector” 2004/12/28 Regulations of the People’s Republic of China on Road Transport 2004/04/30 2004/07/01 Provisions on Administration of International Road Transport 2005/04/06 2004/06/01
39	H. Services Auxiliary to all Modes of Transport - Storage and warehousing services (CPC 742)	Provisions on Administration of Road Cargo Transport and Depots 2005/06/16 2006/08/01 Provisions on Administration of Road Passenger Transport and Stations 2005/07/13 2005/08/01
40	- Freight forwarding agency services (CPC 748 and 749 excluding freight inspection)	Rules on Administration of International Freight Forwarding Agency Enterprises with Foreign Investment 2002/12/21

(b) **China's licensing procedures and conditions, if any, between domestic and foreign service suppliers, measures implementing the free choice of partner and list of transport agreements covered by MFN exceptions**

Licensing procedures and conditions and measures implementing the free choice of partner for the sectors and sub-sectors included in the Schedule of Specific Commitment on Services of China are provided in the corresponding laws, regulations and administrative measures as listed under item (a). These laws, regulations and administrative measures have been notified in full text English translation to the Council for Trade in Services pursuant to Article 3 of the General Agreement on Trade in Services.

List of transport agreements covered by MFN exemption

Sector or sub-sector	List of transport agreements covered by MFN exemption	Countries to which the measures applies	Current state of play
Maritime Transport International Transport Freight and Passengers	The parties concerned may, through bilateral agreement, establish entities to engage in usual business in China either as joint ventures or wholly-owned subsidiaries subject to the Chinese laws on joint ventures and on foreign capital enterprises for ships owned or operated by carriers of the parties concerned.	Unspecified	
	Agreements of cargo sharing	Algeria, Argentina, Bangladesh, Brazil, Zaire	Still valid
		Argentina	Terminated on 5 October 1995
		Thailand	Terminated on 30 May 1995
		USA	Terminated in 1998

- (c) regularly updated lists of the authorities, at all levels of government (including organizations with delegated authority) which are responsible for the adoption, implementation and reception of appeals for laws, regulations, administrative guidelines and other measures affecting trade in services

	Services sector or sub-sector	Authorities responsible
	II. SPECIFIC COMMITMENTS	
2	1. BUSINESS SERVICES A. Professional Services a. Legal Services (CPC 861, excluding Chinese law practices)	Ministry of Justice
3	b. Accounting, auditing and bookkeeping services (CPC 862) c. Taxation services (CPC 8630)	Ministry of Finance (The Chinese Institute of Certified Public Accountants) Ministry of Commerce
4	d. Architectural services (CPC 8671) e. Engineering services (CPC 8672) f. Integrated engineering services (CPC 8673) g. Urban planning services (CPC 8674)	Ministry of Construction Ministry of Commerce
5	h. Medical and dental services (CPC 9312)	Ministry of Health Ministry of Commerce
6	B. Computer and Related Services	Ministry of Commerce, and its subordinate bodies
7	D. Real Estate Services	Ministry of Construction, and its subordinate bodies Ministry of Commerce, and its subordinate bodies
8	F. Other Business Services a. Advertising Services (CPC 871)	State Administration for Industry and Commerce Ministry of Commerce
9	c. Management Consulting services (CPC865)	Ministry of Commerce, and its subordinate bodies
10	e. Technical testing and analysis services (CPC 8676) and freight inspection covered by CPC 749, excluding statutory inspection services for freight inspection services	State Administration for Quality Supervision and Inspection and Quarantine Ministry of Commerce Ministry of Communications
11	f. Services incidental to agriculture, forestry, hunting and fishing (CPC 881 and 882)	Ministry of Commerce, and its subordinate bodies

	Services sector or sub-sector	Authorities responsible
12	m. Related scientific technical consulting services (CPC 8675) - Onshore oil-field services	Ministry of Commerce
13	- Offshore oil-field services, Geological, geophysical and other scientific prospecting services (CPC 86751) Sub-surface surveying service (CPC 86752)	Ministry of Commerce
14	p. Photographic services (CPC 875)	Ministry of Commerce, and its subordinate bodies
15	q. Packaging services (CPC 876)	Ministry of Commerce, and its subordinate bodies
16	s. Convention services (CPC 87909)	Ministry of Commerce
17	t. Translation and interpretation services (CPC 87905)	Ministry of Commerce, and its subordinate bodies
18	- Maintenance and repair services (CPC63, 6112 and 6122) - Maintenance and repair services of office machinery and equipment including computers (CPC845 and 886)	Ministry of Commerce, and its subordinate bodies Ministry of Communications
19	- Rental and leasing services (CPC 831, 832 excluding CPC 83202)	Ministry of Commerce
20	2. COMMUNICATION SERVICES B. Courier Services (CPC 75121, except for those currently specifically reserved to Chinese postal authorities by law)	State Post Administration Ministry of Commerce
21	C. Telecommunication Services	Ministry of Information Industry Ministry of Commerce
22	D. Audiovisual Services - Video, including entertainment software and (CPC 83202), distribution services - Sound recording distribution services	Ministry of Culture Ministry of Commerce

	Services sector or sub-sector	Authorities responsible
23	- Cinema Theatre Services	State Administration of radio, Film and Television Ministry of Commerce
24	3. CONSTRUCTION AND RELATED ENGINEERING SERVICES (CPC 511, 512, 513 ³ , 514, 515, 516, 517, 518 ⁴)	Ministry of Construction, Ministry of Communication Ministry of Commerce
25	4. DISTRIBUTION SERVICES A. Commission Agents' Services (excluding salt, tobacco) B. Wholesale Trade Services (excluding salt, tobacco) C. Retailing Services (excluding tobacco)	State Economic and Trade Commission Ministry of Commerce For those phase-in products specifically provided for in the Market Access Column of the distribution sector of the Schedule, other relevant government authorities may also be involved.
26	5. EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	Ministry of Education
27	6. ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES	Ministry of Commerce, and its subordinate bodies
28	7. FINANCIAL SERVICES A. Insurance services	China Insurance Regulatory Commission
29	B. Banking Services	China Banking Regulatory Commission and its sub-national missions
30	- Motor vehicle financing by non-bank financial institutions	China Banking Regulatory Commission and its sub-national missions
31	- Securities	China Securities Regulatory Commission
32	9. TOURISM AND TRAVEL RELATED SERVICES A. Hotels	Ministry of Commerce, and its subordinate bodies
33	B. Travel Agency and Tour Operator (CPC 7471)	National Tourism Administration Ministry of Commerce

³ including dredging services relating to infrastructure construction.

⁴ Coverage of CPC 518 is limited only to the rental and leasing services of construction and/or demolition machines with operator which are owned and used by foreign construction enterprises in their supply of services.

	Services sector or sub-sector	Authorities responsible
34	<p>11. TRANSPORT SERVICES</p> <p>A. Maritime Transport Services - International transport (CPC 7211 and 7212 less cabotage transport services)</p> <p>H. Auxiliary Services a. Maritime cargo-handling services (CPC 741) d. Container station and depot services e. Maritime agency services</p> <p>B. Internal Waterways Transport b. Freight transport (CPC 7222)</p>	<p>Ministry of Communications Ministry of Commerce</p>
35	<p>C. Air Transport Services d. Aircraft repair and maintenance services (CPC 8868)</p>	<p>General Administration of Civil Aviation of China Ministry of Commerce</p>
36	<p>- Computer Reservation System services</p>	<p>General Administration of Civil Aviation of China</p>
37	<p>E. Rail Transport Services - Freight transportation by rail (CPC 7112)</p>	<p>Ministry of Railways Ministry of Commerce</p>
38	<p>F. Road Transport Services - Freight transportation by road in trucks or cars (CPC 7123)</p>	<p>Ministry of Communications Ministry of Commerce</p>
39	<p>H. Services Auxiliary to all Modes of Transport - Storage and warehousing services (CPC 742)</p>	<p>Ministry of Commerce, and its subordinate bodies Ministry of Communications</p>
40	<p>- Freight forwarding agency services (CPC 748 and 749 excluding freight inspection)</p>	<p>Ministry of Commerce</p>

(d) **independence of the regulatory authorities from the service suppliers**

With regard to the independence of the regulatory authorities from the service suppliers, China fully complies with its commitment of independent regulation described in paragraph 309 of the Working Party Report on the accession of China.

(e) **foreign and domestic suppliers in sectors where specific commitments have been undertaken indicating the state of play of licensing applications on sector and sub-sector levels (accepted, pending, rejected)**

	Services sector or sub-sector	State of play of licensing applications of foreign services supplier ⁵		
		Approved	Pending	Rejected
	II. SPECIFIC COMMITMENTS			
2	1. BUSINESS SERVICES A. Professional Services a. Legal Services (CPC861, excluding Chinese law practices)	108	12	1
3	b. Accounting, auditing and bookkeeping services (CPC 862) c. Taxation services (CPC 8630)	7	0	0
4	d. Architectural services (CPC 8671) e. Engineering services (CPC 8672) f. Integrated engineering services (CPC 8673) g. Urban planning services (CPC 8674)	n.a ⁶	n.a	n.a
5	h. Medical and dental services (CPC 9312)	69	7	3
6	B. Computer and Related Services	5777	n.a.	n.a.
7	D. Real Estate Services	7936	n.a	n.a
8	F. Other Business Services a. Advertising Services (CPC 871)	134	n.a	n.a
9	c. Management Consulting services (CPC865)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
10	e. Technical testing and analysis services (CPC 8676) and freight inspection covered by CPC 749, excluding statutory inspection services for freight inspection services	37	3	2
11	f. Services incidental to agriculture, forestry, hunting and fishing (CPC 881 and 882)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

⁵ This table gives the state of play of applications of foreign services suppliers from the date of China's accession to the WTO till 30 June 2006.

⁶ n.a. = not available, due to lack of efficient statistics collection channel or capacity.

		State of play of licensing applications of foreign services supplier ⁵		
12	m. Related scientific technical consulting services (CPC 8675) - Onshore oil-field services	22	2	n.a
13	- Offshore oil-field services, Geological, geophysical and other scientific prospecting services (CPC 86751) Sub-surface surveying service (CPC 86752)	25	12	n.a
14	p. Photographic services (CPC 875)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
15	q. Packaging services (CPC 876)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
16	s. Convention services (CPC 87909)	n.a	n.a	n.a
17	t. Translation and interpretation services (CPC 87905)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
18	- Maintenance and repair services (CPC63, 6112 and 6122) - Maintenance and repair services of office machinery and equipment including computers (CPC 845 and 886)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
19	- Rental and leasing services (CPC 831, 832 excluding CPC 83202)	44	n.a	n.a
20	2. COMMUNICATION SERVICES B. Courier Services (CPC 75121, except for those currently specifically reserved to Chinese postal authorities by law)	n.a. ⁷	n.a.	n.a.
21	C. Telecommunication Services	5	6	14
22	D. Audiovisual Services - Video, including entertainment software and (CPC 83202), distribution services - Sound recording distribution services	5	1	0
23	- Cinema Theatre Services	n.a	n.a	n.a
24	3. CONSTRUCTION AND RELATED ENGINEERING SERVICES (CPC 511, 512, 513 ⁸ , 514, 515, 516, 517, 518 ⁹)	n.a	n.a	n.a
25	4. DISTRIBUTION SERVICES A. Commission Agents' Services (excluding salt, tobacco) B. Wholesale Trade Services (excluding salt, tobacco) C. Retailing Services (excluding tobacco)	1855	n.a	n.a
26	5. EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	n.a. ¹⁰	n.a	n.a
27	6. ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES	88.	n.a.	n.a.

⁷ New data will be available later.

⁸ including dredging services relating to infrastructure construction.

⁹ Coverage of CPC 518 is limited only to the rental and leasing services of construction and/or demolition machines with operator which are owned and used by foreign construction enterprises in their supply of services.

¹⁰ New data will be available later.

		State of play of licensing applications of foreign services supplier ⁵		
28	7. FINANCIAL SERVICES A. Insurance services	17	n.a.	n.a.
29	B. Banking Services	266 ¹¹	n.a.	n.a.
30	- Motor vehicle financing by non-bank financial institutions	7 ¹²	n.a.	n.a.
31	- Securities	96	1	0
32	9. TOURISM AND TRAVEL RELATED SERVICES A. Hotels	783.	n.a.	n.a.
33	B. Travel Agency and Tour Operator (CPC 7471)	21	5	n.a.
34	11. TRANSPORT SERVICES A. Maritime Transport Services - International transport (CPC 7211 and 7212 less cabotage transport services) H. Auxiliary Services a. Maritime cargo-handling services (CPC 741) d. Container station and depot services e. Maritime agency services B. Internal Waterways Transport b. Freight transport (CPC 7222)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
35	C. Air Transport Services d. Aircraft repair and maintenance services (CPC 8868)	148	0	25
36	- Computer Reservation System services	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
37	E. Rail Transport Services - Freight transportation by rail (CPC 7112)	0	0	0
38	F. Road Transport Services - Freight transportation by road in trucks or cars (CPC 7123)	122	0	n.a.
39	H. Services Auxiliary to all Modes of Transport - Storage and warehousing services (CPC 742)	226	n.a.	n.a.
40	- Freight forwarding agency services (CPC 748 and 749 excluding freight inspection)	465	n.a.	n.a.

¹¹ This particular number is the total approvals granted for foreign services suppliers in this sector, instead of since China's WTO accession.

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